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2. FURTHER ACTION

Box No. I	Basis of the opinion	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Box No. II	Priority	<input type="checkbox"/>
Box No. III	Non-establishment of opinion with regard to novelty, inventive step and industrial applicability	<input type="checkbox"/>
Box No. IV	Lack of utility of invention	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Box No. V	Reasoned statement under Rule 43bis, 1 (a) (i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability, citations and explanations supporting such statement	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Box No. VI	Certain documents cited	<input type="checkbox"/>
Box No. VII	Certain defects in the international application	<input type="checkbox"/>
Box No. VIII	Certain observations on the international application	<input type="checkbox"/>

1. This opinion contains indications relating to the following items:

Applicant's or agent's file reference		414/04404	
Date of mailing (day/month/year)		03 FEB 2006	
FOR FURTHER ACTION		See paragraph 2 below	
Applicant's or agent's file reference		414/04404	
International application No.		PCT/IL/05/00140	
International filing date (day/month/year)		04 February 2005 (04.02.2005)	
Priority date (day/month/year)		05 February 2004 (05.02.2004)	
International Patent Classification (IPC) or both national classification and IPC			
IPC(7): A61H 1/02 and US CI: 601/5, 33			
Applicant			
REABILITY INC.			

(PCT Rule 43bis.1)

INTERNATIONAL SEARCHING AUTHORITY
WRITTEN OPINION OF THE

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PATENT COOPERATION TREATY

From the

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INTERNATIONAL SEARCHING AUTHORITY

1. With regard to the language, this opinion has been established on the basis of International application No. _____, which is the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of international search (Rules 12.3(a) and 23.1(b)).

the international application in the language in which it was filed

International application No. _____, which is the language of a translation furnished for the purposes of international search (Rules 12.3(a) and 23.1(b)).

2. With regard to any nucleotide and/or amino acid sequence disclosed in the international application and necessary to the claimed invention, this opinion has been established on the basis of:

a. type of material

a sequence listing

table(s) related to the sequence listing

b. format of material

on paper

in electronic form

c. time of filing/furnishing

contained in the international application as filed.

filed together with the international application in electronic form.

furnished subsequently to this Authority for the purposes of search.

3. In addition, in the case that more than one version or copy of a sequence listing and/or table(s) relating thereto has been filed or furnished, the required statements that the information in the subsequent or additional copies is identical to that in the application as filed or goes beyond the application as filed, as appropriate, were furnished.

4. Additional comments:

International application No. _____	WritteN OPINION OF THE	INTERNATIONAL SEARCHING AUTHORITY	Box No. 1 Basis of this opinion
		PCT/IL05/00140	

1. In response to the invitation (Form PCT/ISA/206) to pay additional fees, within the applicable time limit:
 paid additional fees
 paid additional fees under protest but the applicable protest fee was not paid
 paid additional fees under protest and, where applicable, the protest fee
 not paid additional fees
 This Authority found that the requirement of unity of invention is not complied with and those not to invite the applicant to pay additional fees.

2. This Authority considers that the requirement of unity of invention is not complied with and those not to invite the applicant to pay additional fees.
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 This Authority found that the requirement of unity of invention is not complied with and those not to invite the applicant to pay additional fees.

3. This Authority considers that the requirement of unity of invention is not complied with in accordance with Rule 13.1, 13.2 and 13.3 is not complied with for the following reasons:
 not complied with for the following reasons:

See the lack of unity section of the International Search Report (Form PCT/ISA/210)

4. Consequently, this opinion has been established in respect of the following parts of the international application:
 the parts relating to claims Nos. 1-8
 all parts.

Box No. IV Lack of unity of invention

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WRITTEN OPINION OF THE

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International application No.

Claims 1-8 meet the criteria set out in PCT Article 33(4), and thus have industrial applicability because the subject matter claimed can be made or used in industry.

Device includes at least one sensor 36 to report the location of the joint. The device includes a joint 34 allows multiple relative placements of the end effector. The joint is not in the desired exercise routine. A joint 34 allows multiple relative placements of the end effector. The volume of at least 30 cm³. The program in which selected to perform an exercise routine would prevent substantial motion in any point in any direction that is not in the desired exercise routine. An actuator 12 that includes a movement mechanism capable of applying a force that interacts with a motion of the patient's limb in a volume of at least 30 cm³. The program in which selected to perform an exercise routine would prevent substantial motion in any point in any direction that is not in the desired exercise routine. An actuator 12 that includes a movement mechanism capable of applying a force that interacts with a motion of the patient's limb in a

Claims 1-8 lack novelty under PCT Article 33(2) as being anticipated by Brandomson. As broadly claimed, Brandomson teaches a frame 10,

2. Citations and explanations:

NO	Claims NONE	Industrial applicability (IA)
YES	Claims 1-8	

NO	Claims 1-8	Inventive step (IS)
YES	Claims NONE	

NO	Claims 1-8	Novelty (N)
YES	Claims NONE	

1. Statement

Box No. V Reasoned statement under Rule 43 bis.1(a)(i) with regard to novelty, inventive step or industrial applicability; citations and explanations supporting such statement

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INSTRUCTIONS CONCERNING AMENDMENTS UNDER ARTICLE 19

These Notes are intended to give the basic instructions concerning the filing of amendments under Article 19. The Notes are based on the requirements of the Patent Cooperation Treaty, the Regulations and the Administrative Instructions under Article 19, and "Section" refers to the provisions of the PCT, the PCT Regulations and the PCT Instructions, respectively.

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